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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed September 24, 2003, on the above-referenced patent application, Applicant(s) respectfully request reconsideration of the application. A petition for a one month extension of time and a Notice of Appeal accompanies this response.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this Amendment in connection with the above identified U.S. Patent Application is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on JANUARY 5, 2004.

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